

NOTICE OF DRAFTPERSON'S  
PATENT DRAWING REVIEWThe drawing filed on (date) 11/3/99A. ☐ not objected to by the Draftperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152.B. ☒ objected to by the Draftperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 as indicated below. The Examiner will require submission of new, corrected drawings, if necessary. Corrected drawings must be submitted according to the instructions on the back of this notice.

## 1. DRAWINGS 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings

Black ink. Color

☐ Color drawing are not acceptable until patent is granted☐ Fig. (s)☐ Pencil and non-black ink is not permitted. Fig. (s)

## 2. PHOTOGRAPHS 37 CFR 1.84(b)

☐ Photographs are not acceptable until patent is granted.☐ 3 full-tone sets are required. Fig. (s)☐ Photographs not properly mounted (must be well bound, or photographic, double-weight paper). Fig. (s)☐ Poor quality (faded lines). Fig. (s)

## 3. TYPE OF PAPER 37 CFR 1.84(c)

☐ Paper not flexible, strong, white and durable☐ Fig. (s)☐ Faintness, alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, copy, machine marks not acceptable (too thin).☐ Mylar: vellum paper is not acceptable (too thin).☐ Fig. (s)

## 4. SIZE OF PAPER 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes

☐ 21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (8 1/2" x 11")☐ 21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2" x 11 inches)☐ All drawings sheets not the same size☐ Sheets (s)

## 5. MARGINS 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins

Top 2.5 cm (1 in) Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm  
SIZE: A4 sizeTop 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm  
SIZE: 8 1/2" x 11"☒ Margins not acceptable. Fig. (s) 345☒ Top (T) Left (L)☐ Right (R) Bottom (B)

## 6. VIEWS 37 CFR 1.84(h)

REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes.

☐ Views connected by projection lines or lead lines☐ Fig. (s)

Partial views 37 CFR 1.84(h)(2)

☐ Brackets needed to show figure as one entity☐ Fig. (s)☐ Enlarged view not labeled separately or properly☐ Fig. (s)

## COMMENTS

## 7. SECTIONAL VIEWS 37 CFR 1.84(h)(3)

☐ Hatching not indicated for sectional portions of an object☐ Fig. (s)☐ Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or

Roman numbers. Fig. (s)

## 8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS 37 CFR 1.84(i)

☐ Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned, so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig. (s)☐ Views not on the same plane on drawing sheet. Fig. (s)

## 9. SCALE 37 CFR 1.84(j)

☐ Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds original size☐ Fig. (s)

## 10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, &amp; LETTERS 37 CFR 1.84(k)

☐ Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined, (faded, double, and black lines line quality)☐ Fig. (s) All

## 11. SHADING 37 CFR 1.84(m)

☐ Solid black areas (pale). Fig. (s)☐ Solid black shading not permitted. Fig. (s)☐ Shade lines, pale, rough and blurred. Fig. (s)

## 12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, &amp; REFERENCE CHARACTERS 37 CFR 1.84(n)

☒ Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible☐ Fig. (s) All☐ Figure legends are poor. Fig. (s)☐ Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same

direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3) Fig. (s)

☐ English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3) Fig. (s)☐ Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at least

32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3) Fig. (s)

## 13. LEAD LINES 37 CFR 1.84(q)

☐ Lead lines cross each other. Fig. (s)☐ Lead lines missing. Fig. (s)

## 14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS 37 CFR 1.84(r)

☐ Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic, number is

to correct a graph number (1, 2, 3)

☐ View not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic, numerical,

beginning with number 1. Fig. (s)

## 15. CORRECTIONS 37 CFR 1.84(s)

☐ Corrections not made from PTO 504 dated

## 16. DESIGN DRAWINGS 37 CFR 1.152

☐ Surface shading shown not appropriate. Fig. (s)☐ Solid black shading not used for color contrast☐ Fig. (s)

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Attachment for PTO-948 (Rev. 03/01, or earlier)  
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The below text replaces the pre-printed text under the heading, "Information on How to Effect Drawing Changes," on the back of the PTO-948 (Rev. 03/01, or earlier) form.

**INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES**

**1. Correction of Informalities -- 37 CFR 1.85**

New corrected drawings must be filed with the changes incorporated therein. Identifying indicia, if provided, should include the title of the invention, inventor's name, and application number, or docket number (if any) if an application number has not been assigned to the application. If this information is provided, it must be placed on the front of each sheet and centered within the top margin. If corrected drawings are required in a Notice of Allowability (PTOL-37), the new drawings **MUST** be filed within the **THREE MONTH** shortened statutory period set for reply in the Notice of Allowability. Extensions of time may NOT be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b) for filing the corrected drawings after the mailing of a Notice of Allowability. The drawings should be filed as a separate paper with a transmittal letter addressed to the Official Draftsperson.

**2. Corrections other than Informalities Noted by Draftsperson on form PTO-948.**

All changes to the drawings, other than informalities noted by the Draftsperson, **MUST** be made in the same manner as above except that, normally, a highlighted (preferably red ink) sketch of the changes to be incorporated into the new drawings **MUST** be approved by the examiner before the application will be allowed. No changes will be permitted to be made, other than correction of

**Timing of Corrections**

Applicant is required to submit the drawing corrections within the time period set in the attached Office communication. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).

Failure to take corrective action within the set period will result in **ABANDONMENT** of the application.